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*Epidemic dengue reported at Nuevo Laredo, suspect yellow fever.*LAREDO, TEX., *September 15, 1903.*WYMAN, *Washington:*

The local authorities report epidemic dengue, Nuevo Laredo, Mexico. Physician died yesterday with black vomit; sick five days. Had jaundice. Necropsy to-day. Present, State quarantine officer, U. S. Army surgeon, the health officer of Laredo, the local board of health, self. Diagnosis, suspicious yellow fever; another person urine contains albumin and bile; another urine contains albumin, both jaundice. Is very suspicious; have quarantined. State health officer and chief U. S. Army surgeon Department of Texas, will be here to-morrow. Think the disease was introduced by person from Victoria, Mexico. Shall have a consultation and will advise you of result.

HAMILTON.

*Precautions against importation of yellow fever—Camp equipment.*WASHINGTON, *September 16, 1903.*HAMILTON, *Laredo, Tex.:*

Have wired State health officer that you will cooperate. Will order sent you by freight to-day tentage and camp equipage for 100 people. This simply by way of anticipation. Service officers also will be ordered as preventive against emergency, but you will retain your present duties if they come.

WYMAN.

WASHINGTON, *September 16, 1903.*HUME, *Eagle Pass, Tex.:*

Have wired State health officer you will cooperate with him. Wire requisition for any additional equipment or help needed.

WYMAN.

*Statistical reports of States and cities of the United States—Yearly and monthly.*

CALIFORNIA—*Fresno.*—Month of August, 1903. Estimated population, 18,000. Total number of deaths, 23, including 1 from enteric fever.

*Los Angeles.*—Month of August, 1903. Estimated population, 135,000. Total number of deaths, 214, including diphtheria 3, enteric fever 5, measles 1, whooping cough 2, and 38 from tuberculosis.

*Stockton.*—Month of April, 1903. Estimated population, 28,000. Total number of deaths, 23, including enteric fever 1, and 11 from tuberculosis.

FLORIDA—*Tampa.*—Month of August, 1903. Estimated population, 20,000. Total number of deaths, 15, including 4 from tuberculosis.